

Early Aramaic Script (10th Century B.C.E.) 2

| Script | Hebrew Reading | West-Syriac Reading | East-Syriac Reading | Transliteration Value | Numerical Value |    |
|--------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|----|
| 𐤀      | ʾāleṗ          | ʾōlaf               | ʾālap               | ʾ                     | 1               | 1  |
| 𐤁      | bēt            | bēt                 | bēt                 | b                     | 2               | 2  |
| 𐤂      | gīmel          | gōmal               | gāmal               | g                     | 3               | 3  |
| 𐤃      | dālet          | dōlat/ḏ             | dālat/ḏ             | d                     | 4               | 4  |
| 𐤄      | hē             | hē                  | hē                  | h                     | 5               | 5  |
| 𐤅      | wāw            | wāw                 | wāw                 | w                     | 6               | 6  |
| 𐤆      | záyin          | zay(n)              | zay(n)              | z                     | 7               | 7  |
| 𐤇      | ḥēt            | ḥēt                 | ḥēt                 | ḥ                     | 8               | 8  |
| 𐤈      | ṭēt            | ṭēt                 | ṭēt                 | ṭ                     | 9               | 9  |
| 𐤉      | yōḏ            | yōḏ                 | yō/ūḏ               | y                     | 10              | 10 |
| 𐤊      | kāṗ            | kōf                 | kāṗ                 | k                     | 20              | 11 |
| 𐤋      | lāmed          | lōmad               | lāmad               | l                     | 30              | 12 |
| 𐤌      | mēm            | mīm                 | mīm                 | m                     | 40              | 13 |
| 𐤍      | nūn            | nūn                 | nūn                 | n                     | 50              | 14 |
| 𐤎      | sāmek          | semkat              | semkat              | s                     | 60              | 15 |
| 𐤏      | ʿáyin          | ʿayn                | ʿē                  | ʿ                     | 70              | 16 |
| 𐤐      | pē             | pē                  | pē                  | p                     | 80              | 17 |
| 𐤑      | ṣādē           | ṣōḏē                | ṣādē                | ṣ                     | 90              | 18 |
| 𐤒      | qōṗ            | qōf                 | qōṗ                 | q                     | 100             | 19 |
| 𐤓      | rēš            | rēš                 | rēš                 | r                     | 200             | 20 |
| 𐤔      | šīn            | šīn                 | šīn                 | š                     | 300             | 21 |
| 𐤕      | tāw            | tāw                 | taw                 | t                     | 400             | 22 |

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### **Dedication**

I dedicate this work in memory of **His Holiness ✙ Mar Dinkha IV**, Catholicos-Patriarch of ***The Assyrian Church of the East***, Sunday, September 15, 1935 – Thursday, March 26, 2015, with love, respect, and appreciation.